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The Appeal Brief filed on <u>26 May 2004</u> is defective for failure to comply with one or more provisions of 37 CFR 1.192(c). See MPEP § 1206.

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1.			e brief does not contain the items required under 37 CFR 1.192(c), or the items are not under the proper ading or in the proper order.
2.			e brief does not contain a statement of the status of all claims, pending or cancelled, or does not identify the pealed claims (37 CFR $1.192(c)(3)$).
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6.		A s	single ground of rejection has been applied to two or more claims in this application, and
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